

RACIAL PROFILING DATA/2000

Agency: Lafayette County Sheriff's Dept.

Population: 24,324

age 18 and over

KEY INDICATORS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Stops	530	449	42	15	3	1	5
Searches	58	47	7	1	0	0	1
Arrests	16	13	3	0	0	0	0
Statewide population %	N/A	86.38	10.41	1.82	1.43	1.03	0.99
Local population %	N/A	96.02	2.31	0.93	0.41	0.86	0.51
Disparity index	N/A	0.88	3.44	3.06	1.38	0.22	1.84
Search rate	10.94	10.47	16.67	6.67	0.00	0.00	20.00

Notes:

Population figures are for those who are 18 years of age and older. Figures are from the 2000 Census (driving-age figures are not yet available).

Black, Asian, and American Indian includes persons of mixed race. Other race includes unknown race.

The disparity index = proportion of stops / proportion of population. A value of 1 represents no disparity; values greater than 1 indicate over-representation.

Search rate = (searches / stops) X 100.

#Error indicates zero denominator.

TRAFFIC STOP STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Violation leading to stop	Moving	454	384	38	12	2	1	5
	Equipment	65	56	6	3	0	0	0
	License	38	33	1	1	1	0	0
Stop outcome	Citation	217	179	22	6	1	1	0
	Warning	305	264	19	9	2	0	5
Location of stop	Interstate hwy	117	88	19	4	1	0	4
	US hwy	186	165	14	5	0	0	0
	State hwy	188	168	9	5	2	1	1
	County road	14	13	0	0	0	0	0
	City street	11	10	0	1	0	0	0
	Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Driver gender	Male	363	303	34	14	3	1	3
	Female	134	126	6	1	0	0	0
Driver age	17 and under	32	31	1	0	0	0	0
	18-29	219	188	18	8	1	1	2
	30-39	119	96	13	5	2	0	1
	40 and over	150	133	10	2	0	0	2

SEARCH STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Probable cause/ authority to search	Consent	48	40	5	1	0	0	1
	Inventory	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
	Drug/alcohol odor	10	5	4	0	0	0	0
	Incident to arrest	12	8	3	0	0	0	0
	Plain view contraband	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Reasonable suspicion-weapon	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Drug-dog alert	6	4	2	0	0	0	0
	Other	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
What searched	Driver	51	41	6	1	0	0	1
	Car/property	56	46	7	1	0	0	1
Search duration	0-15 minutes	43	37	3	1	0	0	1
	16-30 minutes	10	7	3	0	0	0	0
	31+ minutes	3	2	1	0	0	0	0
Contra-band found	Drugs/alcohol	11	8	3	0	0	0	0
	Currency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Weapon	4	2	2	0	0	0	0
	Stolen property	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Arrest charge	Outstanding warrant	3	2	1	0	0	0	0
	Drug violation	5	4	1	0	0	0	0
	Resist arrest	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
	Offense against person	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
	DWI/BAC	5	4	1	0	0	0	0
	Property offense	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	2	1	1	0	0	0	0

Agency response

(1) Lafayette County has a major interstate highway (I-70) crossing our County; therefore, some of our traffic stops are not of our population.(2) Lafayette County has a large transient farm worker population during the fall, as our County is a major supplier to the apple industry.(3) Lafayette County has two major truck stop/travel centers located on I-70.(4) Lafayette County has a large outlet mall located on I-70.